

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Claims 1-7 (Cancelled)

A1 8. (Currently Amended): A method for presenting address information to accessing parties in a shared directory environment comprising the steps of:

detecting query from at least one entity over a data network seeking a first view of at least one entry in a shared directory;

~~searching the shared directory and locating and retrieving identification information for the at least one entity, wherein the identification information for each of the at least one entries in the shared directory include an additional field which provides for input of~~ includes ~~hierarchal information which creates a wild card entry for the hierarchal information portion of the at least one entry~~ associated with the at least one entity;

denying access to the first view, and based on the hierarchal information identifying all of the at least one entries in the directory which include the hierarchal information; and

presenting all the of the identified at least one entries in a second view.

9. (Original): The method of claim 8 wherein the shared directory is configurable for supporting emessaging.

10. (Original): The method of claim 8 wherein the at least one entry include the identification information for at least one of: a person and a group.

11. (Original): The method of claim 8 wherein the hierarchal information includes at least one of: company name and company location.

Claim 12 (Cancelled)

13. (Cancelled): ~~The method of claim 12 wherein the domino server provides hosted emessaging services for a plurality of third parties.~~

14. (Currently Amended): The method of claim 13 wherein the first view is ~~\$PeopleGroupsFlat~~ is a listing of all entries in the directory and the second view is a copy of the ~~\$PeopleGroupsFlat~~ view the listing with modified selection criteria.

15. (Currently Amended): A system for providing limited access to entries in a directory in a shared environment comprising;

a ~~data-network interface-server~~ configured for receiving and processing queries for accessing directory information over at least one data network and performing functions with regards to accessing associated directories;

a shared directory in ~~connection-communication~~ with the ~~interface-server~~ which includes a plurality of entries, each of the entries including hierarchal information in an additional field, the hierarchal information being associated with at least one entity having access to the shared ~~environment~~ directory, wherein each of the plurality of entries is furthered configured to include an additional field which provides for input of hierarchal information which creates a wild card entry for the hierarchal information portion of the at least one entry; and

the ~~data-network interface-server~~ further configured to generate include a first and second at least one additional view of the at least one entry, ~~view the plurality of entries in the directory,~~ wherein access to the first view is restricted and the ~~second~~ at least one additional view is a copy of the first view but with modified selection criteria, wherein the ~~second~~ at least one additional view provides access to those of the plurality of entries which include the hierarchal information.

16. (Original): The system of claim 15 wherein the date network is the internet and the interface is configured to communicate with web browsers.

Claim 17 (Cancelled)

18. (Original): The system of claim 17 wherein the interface and directory are

configured to provide hosted emessaging services for a plurality of third parties.

19. (Currently Amended): The system of claim 18 wherein the first view comprises ~~\$PeopleGroupsFlat~~ listing of all entries and the ~~second~~ at least one additional view is a copy of the ~~\$PeopleGroupsFlat~~ listing of all entries ~~_view~~ with the modified selection criteria.

20. (Original): The system of claim 15 wherein the fields are provided for at least one of: people entries and group entries in the directory.
